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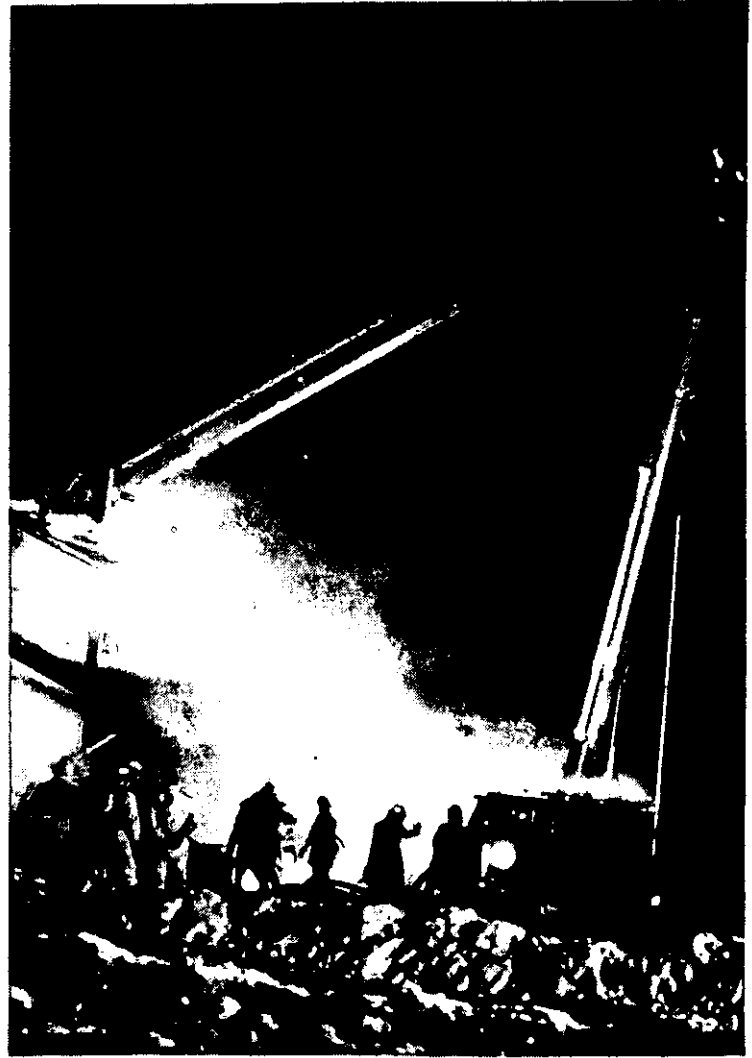
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Town of New Scotland Town Board meets first Wednesday at 8 p.m., Planning Board second and fourth Tuesdays at 7 p.m., Recreation Commission third Tuesday at 7 p.m., Board of Appeals meets when necessary, usually Fridays at 7 p.m., Town Hall, Rt. 85.

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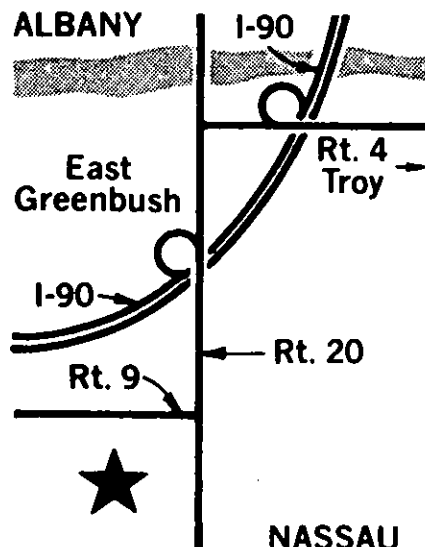
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Albany County Pistol Club, Winne Pl. and Maewin Dr., Delmar. Guests welcome at indoor pistol range Tuesdays at 8 p.m. Information: Dave Herbach, 439-4372 or Tom Corrigan, 439-3301.

Slingerlands Fire Co. Auxiliary, fourth Wednesday, Slingerlands fire hall, 8 p.m.

Bethlehem B.P.O.E. 2233, first and third Wednesday, Lodge in Cedar Hill, Rt. 144. Ladies Auxiliary second Wednesday, 8 p.m.

New Scotland Kiwanis Club, Thursdays, New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Rt. 85, 7 p.m.

Rotary Club of Delmar, Tuesdays, Albany Motor Inn, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m.

Glenmont Lions Club, second and fourth Tuesday, La Casa Restaurant, Selkirk, 6:30 p.m. Visitors welcome. Information Charles Sperbeck, 439-9165.

Bethlehem Lions Club, first and third Wednesday, La Casa Restaurant, Selkirk, 6:30 p.m.

American Legion luncheons, for members, guests and applicants for membership, Post rooms, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, second Thursdays, 12 noon.

Legion Auxiliary, Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post 1040, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, third Tuesday, 8 p.m.

Onesquethaw O.E.S., first and third Wednesday, Masonic Temple, Delmar.

Glenmont Homemakers, third Wednesday, Glenmont Community Church, 8 p.m.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Sunday 10:30 a.m., Sunday School and Bible Class 9:15 a.m., Bible class meets Wednesday 10 a.m., junior choir Wednesday 6:45 p.m., senior choir Thursday 8 p.m., 85 Elm Ave., Delmar.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1

Le Leche League, Mrs. Pat Switzer, "The Advantages of Breastfeeding to Mother and Baby," at home of Mrs. Robert Poczik, 93 Fernbank Ave., Delmar, 10 a.m.

Red Cross water safety instructor course, Bethlehem Central high School pool, 7-10 p.m. Information, 462-7461.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

Indoor Sports Day, American Legion Auxiliary, volunteers needed, Blanchard Post, Elsmere.

Turkey dinner, Bethlehem Grange Hall, Rts. 396 and 9W, Selkirk, servings 4:30 p.m. on. Open to the public. Reservations appreciated but not necessary, 767-2248 or 767-9165.

Snowshoe workshop, presentation on various types of snowshoes as well as history and uses, outdoor demonstration to follow, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 9 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m. Pre-registration, 457-6092.

Joyce Robinson, Bethlehem Coffee House, 8 p.m.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4

Film, "Summertime," starring Katherine Hepburn and Rossano Brazzi, Bethlehem Library, 2 p.m.



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Cross-country skiing, Heldeberg Workshop, noon-4 p.m. Information, 439-6225.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Open house, Bethlehem Video, Inc., public access Channel 16 will be inaugurated, with samples of programs to be carried regularly, Bethlehem Access Center, 159 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 7-10 p.m.

Delmar Progress Club, music program, Bethlehem Library, 1:30 p.m.

Delmar Community Orchestra, First United Methodist Church, Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

Community Nursery School of Voorheesville, registration for 4-year-olds, First United Methodist Church, Voorheesville, 9 a.m.

Lecture, Micki Nevett, discussing favorite authors of children's books, sponsored by the Welcome Wagon, Bethlehem Library, 7:30 p.m.

BCHS 10th grade parents night program, junior year career education activities to be explained, High School cafeteria, 8 p.m.

Delmar Progress Club, creative arts and garden program, Delmar Reformed Church, 11:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Public hearing, Bethlehem town board, rescheduled hearing to consider changing the cable television franchise monthly service charges, Bethlehem town hall, 7:30 p.m.

Potluck salad lunch, Delmar-Slingerlands SUNYA faculty wives, at the residence of Dodie Seagle, 193 Westchester Dr. South, Delmar, 12:30 p.m. Reservations 439-7759 or 439-7061.

Bethlehem Central Board of Education, regular business meeting, assistant superintendent to present informational report on teachers' allocation of time to different

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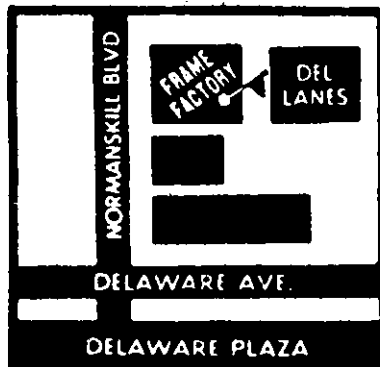
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Bethlehem Video Inc. has requested the Town of Bethlehem to approve changes in the rate for Cable T.V. service.

The charges consist primarily of a \$1.89 increase in monthly charges for the first outlet in residential service, and a comparable increase for commercial users.

The Town Board of Bethlehem has set a public hearing for Wednesday evening, February 7th, at 7:30 p.m., to discuss these proposed charges, to take evidence from Bethlehem Video why it needs the rate increase, and to hear comments from the public.

Bethlehem Video is placing this notice to invite any interested members of the public to this hearing.



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**HOURS: MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY 10 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.
THURSDAY 10 to 9. FRIDAY & SATURDAY 10 to 5.**

subject areas, Educational Services Center, 90 Adams Pl., Delmar, 8 p.m.

Slide program on the ruffed grouse, Sam Pursglove, executive secretary of the National Ruffed Grouse Society, Community Room, The Bank, Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

Senior Citizen tax help, provided by IRS-trained volunteers of Bethlehem AARP, Community Room, The Bank, Delmar, 9 a.m.-noon, information, 439-1421.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8

Information night, on the death penalty issue, St. Thomas School, Kenwood Ave. and Adams Pl. 7:30 p.m. Information, Maureen Moran, 439-5439.

Rehearsals for "The Witness," musical by Jimmy and Carol Owens, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 8:30 p.m.

Annual guest night, Ladies Auxiliary of the Delmar Fire Dept. have invited the Ladies Auxiliary of the Slingerlands Fire Dept., business meeting and slide program on Albany Medical Center Hospital burn unit, Delmar fire house, 6:30 p.m.

Ladies Auxiliary of the Elsmere Fire Co. A. Dr. Barry Reiss to discuss blood pressure, Elsmere fire house, 8 p.m.

Monthly luncheon, American Legion, Blanchard Post, post rooms, 12 noon.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9

QUILT (Quilters United in Learning Together) meeting, filmstrips and demonstration, Bethlehem Library, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Leader: Ruth Shan-non. Bring lunch, refreshments available, all welcome.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Cubic Kumquat Nite Club, BCHS cafeteria, featuring High School dance band and musicians, tickets available at door, 6-11 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Young Snowmobiler's Safety Course, Bethlehem Library, 10 a.m.-noon.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Cross-country skiing, Heldeberg workshop, noon-4 p.m. Information, 439-6225.

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area arts

A capsule listing of cultural events easily accessible to Bethlehem-New Scotland residents, provided as a community service by the General Electric Co. plastics plant, Selkirk. Phone numbers are for information and tickets.

THEATER

"Camelot," Lerner-Loewe musical, Four Seasons dinner theater, Thruway House, Albany, Wednesdays through Sundays, Jan. 31-Feb. 25. Reservations 459-3100.

"The Knack," comedy staged by students at College of Saint Rose, St. Joseph's Auditorium, 985 Madison Ave., Albany, Feb. 2-4, (Friday 8 p.m., Saturday 2:30 and 8 p.m., Sunday 2:30 p.m.). \$2, students \$1. 471-5102.

"Come Blow Your Horn," dinner theater at the Willows (formerly Valhalla Country Club), Rexford, Feb. 15-17 and Feb. 22-24. Reservations 399-2345.

MUSIC

Capitaland Christian Music Concert, featuring The Joyful Noise, Naphtali, King's Kids, Bob and Elaine Jenkins, Master's Muppets, Empire State Plaza Performing Arts Center ("The Egg"), Feb. 2, 8 p.m. \$3.50, under 12 free. 768-2154, 439-4328.

"Music at the Cathedral," Monday Musical Club of Albany concert series, presenting professional church organists and soloists, Cathedral of All Saints, Albany, Feb. 4, 3:30 p.m. Donation.

ART

Exhibition, American Decorative Arts, 18-19th century furniture, glass, china, silver, textiles, Albany Institute of History and Art, through March 25.

"Images of the City," exhibition of prints, posters, broadsides, from New York State Museum collection, Terrace Gallery, New York State Museum, Empire State Plaza, through April 1. Daily 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Free parking on weekends.

"Evolution of a Landmark," pictorial history of the D&H Building, Plaza Gallery, State University Plaza, Albany, Feb. 2-March 9. Weekdays 9:30-5:30.

Exhibition, Ernest Wagner, life-size relief portraits, wood sculpture, including celebrities, Classic Gallery of Sport, 295 Hamilton St., Albany, Feb. 3-March 10. Mon.-Sat. 10-5.

"Festival of Art by Black Women," Albany YWCA Womanworks Gallery, 28 Colvin Ave., through Feb. 28. 482-1439.

FILM

"Love Me Tonight" (1932), Chevalier, MacDonald classic, CDPC Auditorium One, 75 New Scotland Ave., Albany, Feb. 2-3, 9 p.m. \$1.50.

"Distant Drums" (Gary Cooper), Albany Public Library, Feb. 6, 2 and 8 p.m.

LECTURE

"Decorative Ironwork of Albany," Albany Institute Bleeker Center Lecture Hall, 19 Dove St., Feb. 20, 8:30 p.m. 463-4478.

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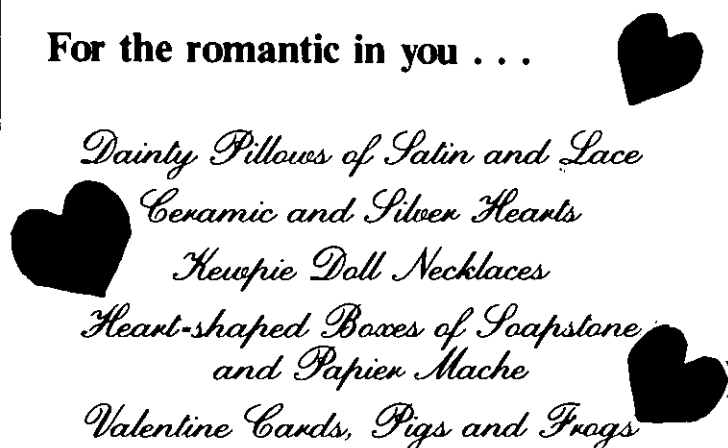
- Solti Conducts Berlioz (simulcast) Friday 9 p.m.
- Once Upon a Classic: John Hallfax (premiere) Sunday 5:30 p.m.
- To Mrs. Brown—a Daughter (special) Sunday 8 p.m.
- Masterpiece Theater: 'Country Matters' (premiere) Sunday 9 p.m.
- Academy Leaders Monday 9 p.m.
- Hollywood Musicals: 'On the Town' (1950) Tuesday 8 p.m.
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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

Delmar Progress Club, business meeting, Bethlehem Library, 10 a.m.

Delmar Community Orchestra, First United Methodist Church, Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

Valentines Day program for pre-schoolers to hear stories and design own Valentines, each child must be accompanied by a parent, Bethlehem Library, 10:15-11 a.m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

Wine and cheese party, joint meeting of Glenmont Homemakers and Selkirk Volunteer Fire Co. No. 2 Ladies Auxiliary, Glenmont fire house, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Senior Citizen tax help, Community Room, The Bank, Delmar, 9 a.m.-noon. Information, 439-1421.

Delmar Progress Club, antique study program, Bethlehem Library, 10 a.m.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Bethlehem Duplicate Bridge Club, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Elsmere. Information, Myra and Judd Gilmore, 439-6857, or Eleanor and Jim Heron, 439-5772.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

Dinner-theater party, American Legion, Blanchard Post, post rooms, 7 p.m.

Cross-country program, "Ski for Fun and Safety," food, clothing, survival techniques for cross-country skiers, Cooperative Extension, Voorheesville, 10 a.m.-noon. Information, 765-3635.

Pancake dinner, Boy Scout Troop 73 of Voorheesville, American Legion Post, Voorheesville, 5-7 p.m.

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Congregate housing: a new concept for the elderly

A unique "congregate housing" complex for the elderly, stressing a sense of community, companionship and common interest, may be in the offing for Delmar if preliminary plans are carried through.

Steven B. Strong, of Delmar, a partner in Wellspring House of Albany, brought his idea for the 90-unit complex of studio, single and double apartments before the Bethlehem planning board last week.

The complex, to be called the Wellspring House of Delmar, would be designed for the "well" elderly who don't require medical supervision. It would offer activities like public dining, organized recreational activities, music and art classes and other activities for elderly people looking for "companionship with people of similar interests."

Strong says the facility, to be located on a 7-acre tract on Euclid Ave., Elsmere, near the Normanside Country Club, would be a colonial-style, one-floor building with six wings leading to a community area, complete with a common dining room, living room, fireplace, green house and game room.

"People will congregate at all times of the day to do things as a group," says Strong.

Although kitchen facilities would be part of every apartment, three meals a day will be part of the package, at a range of \$450 monthly for a studio to \$850 monthly for double occupancy.

The preliminary presentation by Strong and his partner, Fred Adler of Delmar, threw members of the planning board a

curve. "It's a unique project that has to be interpreted," commented William R. Weber, chairman. "We first must determine what it is, whether it's an apartment project, or whatever. Congregate housing is not in the zoning ordinance."

The developers, making the presentation in the corporate name of Van Euclid Co., face several hurdles in the long and often frustrating procedure of gaining approval for a housing project in a zoned area. Their land is in a Double-A Residential zone, which prohibits multiple dwellings such as apartments.

The alternatives for the builders include a petition to the board of appeals for a special use permit under the zoning ordinance, and applying to the town board to designate the area as a "planned unit development." Either one would involve at least one public hearing.

The partners recently poured footings for the construction of Wellspring House of Albany, a 90-unit congregate-housing project on Washington Ave. Extension, Albany. The Bethlehem project, Strong explained, is in the preliminary planning stage, and he stressed that his appearance at the board session last week was "purely informational."

"People must recognize," says Strong, "that you can't relegate the elderly to the back woods normally designed for the health care facilities. And our concept fits into the architectural plan that the community will also find appealing."



Evelyn Freudenreich

BETHLEHEM

Zoning advocate stepping down

When Evelyn Freudenreich accepted the position as the first secretary for Bethlehem's original board of appeals in 1946, she had no inkling that the job would stretch into a career.

"When I first took the job I thought I wouldn't like it," she says. "I thought I'd take the job for pin money, and it ended up a big thing in my life."

Mrs. Freudenreich, a lifelong Bethlehem resident who was also the first female appointee to serve on the appeals board, has retired from the town agency she has helped shape for over 30 years. She held her position as board secretary for 18 years. After a six-year lay-off, was appointed in 1972 to serve on the board for six years.

She has seen and has been a part of vast changes in the town

of Bethlehem. "Right after the war there was a tremendous population explosion, and the town had the foresight to resist some of the proposed sub-standard homes."

Mrs. Freudenreich feels that the Crannell Ave.-Brookman Ave. development is one example of the town's prudent planning. "It is a lovely development because the appeals board set a certain procedure to slow the pace of building to a reasonable growth level," she says. "People don't realize how fortunate the town is that we stuck to this procedure."

But recent growth in the town leaves her somewhat concerned. "The development of the apartment housing in Bethlehem has attracted people from Albany who are changing the voting patterns."

For the future she intends to spend her time between volunteer work and friends, and plans to "live an easier life." But it's hard to break old habits, and people still call Mrs. Freudenreich for her authoritative insight. A neighbor recently called to complain about the traffic light at Elsmere Ave. and Delaware Ave. Instead of passing the problem off to someone else, she plans to go out in her car, make a traffic survey and see for herself.

Doug Payne

Town hall bids opened

Machnick Builders, Ltd. of Green Island submitted a low bid of \$53,900 for excavation and concrete work under the west wing of the new Bethlehem town hall in the former Delmar grade school. Bids were opened by the town board last week.



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NEW SALEM

Pumps idle, wells come back

Fresh water is flowing again in residential wells on the edge of that snow-covered meadow in New Salem, but the Great Water Debate remains unsolved.

In four households on Meadowbrook Pl. in the lee of the Helderberg escarpment water came from the taps for the first time in more than two months. James D. Donohue, whose well was the first to run dry shortly after Thanksgiving, was the first to get his water back. By last weekend, his beleaguered neighbors, Charles McKinley and Gregory Turek, could use their taps again, and Richard Ruby, next door to Donohue, had his well back on line.

The return of the wells came within a week of the Bethlehem water district's shutting down the pumps in two wells on its property nearby, a move the residents of Meadowbrook Pl. and other nearby areas had been seeking for several weeks. The homeowners are convinced that Bethlehem's action in pumping 1.1 million gallons a day over an extended period this fall was responsible for their wells drying up. Bethlehem officials contend there is no valid evidence to support that theory.

The water district, which owns extensive land that cradles the sprawling Vly Reservoir supplying the town of Bethlehem with water, agreed to shut down the pumps on each well for one week each on consecutive weeks in an effort to determine if the pumping was on the same aquifer (water table) as the afflicted dwellings. Paul Wagner, superintendent of the water district, said Well No. 2 was shut down on Jan. 15, and one week later Well No. 1 was shut down on Jan. 22, but the district did not resume pumping in No. 2.

Town engineer Bruce Secor said measurements of the Meadowbrook Pl. wells on Friday, Jan. 26, showed that the Turek well had recovered, the water level in McKinley's well was 3 feet 4 inches, and there was no

reading on the Donohue well. Saturday, however, Donohue had water, and the others later were able to draw from the taps.

"It's interesting that our wells should come back in a few days after they shut off the pumps," commented McKinley. "It seems like the same aquifer runs right through our area. We haven't had that much rain this week, either."

In Delmar, Supervisor Tom Corrigan would say merely that "the problem is not solved. It's a complex geological area. We can make no definite conclusion from the data."

Complicating the analysis was the weather. Bethlehem officials, implying that an unusually rainy January could be responsible for the wells' recovery rather than the pumping shutdown, point to weather bureau statistics that show precipitation in December and January was above the average for those months.

At the same time, the water level in the reservoir has risen substantially, primarily due to last weekend's thaw that accelerated the runoff from the Helderbergs. Water department charts show the reservoir level on Monday (Jan. 29) was 387.4 feet, a gain of 2.1 feet since the previous reading on Jan. 20. The increase in water volume in the reservoir was estimated at 100 million gallons plus in the nine-day period.

Tole group meets

A workshop meeting of the Capitolers, a tole and decorative painting group, will be held Feb. 3 at the Calvary Methodist Church, Belle Ave. and Ridge Rd., Latham from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The public is invited. For information, 237-5280.

Scouts serving pancakes

Boy Scout Troop 73 of Voorheesville will hold its annual pancake dinner at the American Legion Post, Voorheesville, Feb. 17 from 5 to 7 p.m. Tickets available from any scout or at the door.

SALEM HILLS

Attorney appointed in sewerage suit

Kenneth J. Connolly, 6 Danbury Ct., has been named a special assistant village counsel by the Voorheesville village board to represent the village in a pending lawsuit over sewerage fees in the Salem Hills residential subdivision.

Connolly, a resident of Salem Hills, served on the homeowners' advisory committee set up last year when the Salem Hills Sewerage Disposal Corp., private utility serving the subdivision, applied for an increase in the monthly residential fee from \$10 to \$29.05.

After a long study, punctuated by two public hearings and the village board's decision to bring in an Albany accounting firm to review the utility's financial statements, the board granted a \$4 raise to \$14.

Last month Rosen-Michaels, Inc., developer of the 282-dwelling subdivision and parent company of the sewerage firm, notified the village board that it was rejecting the \$4 increase as not sufficient, and was filing suit in a move to reopen the case.

Village Attorney Donald D. Meacham told the board at last week's meeting that he was "100 percent in favor" of having Connolly assist in defending against the litigation. Mayor William J. Wenzel, Connolly and Meacham said they saw no conflict of interest in the appointment of a Salem Hills homeowner as an assistant counsel.

Trustee William F. Gray III, also a resident of the subdivision, told the board he wanted to "make sure Salem Hills people are in favor of us doing this. They've got to pay the bill." The implication was whether it was worth the cost of additional legal fees to block a possible boost in the sewer fee that could exceed the sum to be paid to Connolly. The latter cost would be borne by the village budget, while a hike in the sewerage rate would come directly from the residents' pockets.

VOORHEESVILLE

Village eyeing a tax tradeoff

Property owners in the village of Voorheesville may have their assessments doubled this year, but the prospect doesn't bother them.

That's because the village board, if it does double tax assessments, will cut the tax rate in half. That way the tax bills will remain basically unchanged.

Mayor William J. Wenzel said last week he was "thinking about" going that route as a means of bringing the village another step closer to the 100-percent valuation level mandated by New York State for all municipalities in 1981. Wenzel authorized a similar assessment boost while halving the tax rate in July, 1977, at which time the board also cut an additional 12.0 percent off the tax rate for that year.

Last month Voorheesville property owners paid \$61.17 per \$1,000 valuation, 2 percent under the tab the year before.

Meanwhile, the board at its regular monthly meeting last week set the date for the annual Grievance Night to hear complaints on the assessment and tax rolls. Grievance Night will be Tuesday, Feb. 20, from 5 to 9 p.m. in the village offices.

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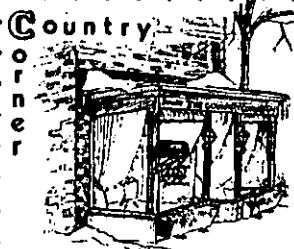
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Memorial scholarship set

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Braverman have established a scholarship fund in memory of Mr. Braverman's aunt, with an award to be made annually to a female member of the Bethlehem Middle School, said the Mae L. Polikoff Memorial Scholarship will honor and continue the spirit of his aunt, who "enjoyed a very active life in sports and was a benefactor to many."

Cubic Kum Quat coming

The Bethlehem Central Wind Ensemble and Orchestra will present their annual Cubic Kum Quat nightclub on Feb. 10 in the BCHS cafeteria. The theme of this year's event is "Stardust." There will be dancing, entertainment and a buffet. Tickets are \$6.50 a couple, \$3.50 single and \$4.50 for senior citizen couples, and are available at the door or from any Wind Ensemble or Orchestra member. Proceeds from the evening will fund the students' annual exchange concert in the Spring.



John Geurtze

Geurtze fights full valuation

Glenmont's John Geurtze says he will try to block the new state policy of 100 percent assessed valuation when he assumes his new post on the New York State Farm Bureau.

"Most of the counties will be going to full valuation, and this is a big concern to farmers," he says. "If farms, silos and land are assessed to 100 percent valuation, then farms will close down."

Geurtze, a dairyman and a member of the Bethlehem town board, warned that "people complain about the price of food, and if taxes go up, then you pay for it in the supermarkets."

He says that the Farm Bureau, a lobbyist organization of 20,000 farm families across the state, will work with county and state legislators to get a tax break which he feels is the only way to hold down food prices.

Geurtze is optimistic about the bureau's chances for success. "It's not a foregone conclusion. When legislators realize the real effects of full valuation to farmers, I'm confident they will change their minds."

Quilters to meet

QUILT (Quilters United in Learning Together) will meet Friday, Feb. 9 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Bethlehem Library, Delmar. The morning program will feature film strips on "Quilting". In the afternoon, Ruth Noray will introduce the "Log Cabin Block." Meeting leader is Ruth Shannon. Everyone is welcome to bring lunch.

Delmar nun has thesis published

Sister Maria Ann Kelly, associate professor of history at the College of Saint Rose, has received word that her manuscript, "A Chapter in Mexican Church-State Relations: Socialist Education, 1934-1940," has been accepted for publication by Editorial Jus, S.A., Mexico City, an international publishing firm specializing in historical works.

The study, completed as part of Sister Kelly's research for her doctoral degree in Latin American history at Georgetown University, was conducted on site in Mexico, and was funded through a research fellowship from the Organization of American States.

Sister Kelly is the daughter of Mrs. J. Earl Kelly of Delmar and the late Mr. Kelly. Prior to earning her doctorate at Georgetown, she received her bachelor's and master's degrees at the College of St. Rose. Sister Kelly will share some of her findings in a graduate seminar which she will lead this spring at CSR.

Junior Grange installs

Installation of officers of Bethlehem Junior Grange was held Jan. 12 by Albany County Junior Grange Deputy Randall Drobner. He was assisted by Mrs. Raynor, Debbie Stahlman and Steve Drobner. Mrs. Drobner is Junior Grange Matron for 1979.

New officers are: Elsie Proper, master; Anna Proper, overseer; Lisa Parry, lecturer; Richard Smith, steward; Charles Stahlman, assistant steward; Tracey Samuels, lady assistant steward; Phyllis June, chaplain; Arthur Drobner, treasurer; Augie Corsi, secretary; Maureen White, gatekeeper; Debbie Lawrence, Ceres; Stephanie Smith, Pomona; Donna DeBacco, Flora and Holly Wilkie, flagbearer. The next meetings of both subordinate and junior granges are scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 24, weather permitting.

Theater seminars start

During the next three months Albany Civic Theater will sponsor 14 seminars covering all areas of theatrical production. Barbara Perry, ACT director of education, says the seminars which will feature demonstrations and workshop sessions on directing, acting, lighting, set design and construction, costume, aspects of musical theater and other specialized crafts. Cost is \$1 per seminar or \$10 for all of the sessions.

The first seminar, "The Role of Lighting in Theatrical Productions," will be conducted by Dick McGrath of Slingerlands Community Players and Jerome Handley of the SUNYA Theater Department at 1 p.m., Feb. 3 at the Slingerlands Players theater in Unionville. For information, call 462-1297.

Program on orchestra

WAMC, 90.3 on the FM dial, will air a 16-week series of Saturday morning programs called "The Orchestra" starting Feb. 3. In this novel series—to be aired from 7 a.m. to noon—Robert J. Lurtsema, host of WAMC's "Morning pro Musica," will explore the many facets of a modern symphony orchestra, including the instruments, the players, the music director and the management. Members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra will join Lurtsema for an informative and entertaining, musically illustrated live discussion of just what makes a great symphony orchestra tick.

Grouse chapter forming

Ruffed grouse enthusiasts will gather at the Bank Community Room, Delmar, at 7:30 Wednesday, Feb. 7, to hear Sam Pursglove, executive secretary of the National Ruffed Grouse Society, and Rudy Pearson of Massachusetts give short talks. Slides and a color movie of grouse will be shown. Erastus Corning and Gardiner Bump will suggest that the formation of a chapter of the National Ruffed Grouse Assn. be considered at the meeting.

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Calling all singers

Rehearsals for the Christian Music Ministries presentation of a new musical, "The Wit-ness," will start Thursday, Feb. 8, at Bethlehem Lutheran Church. According to Bill Womer, director of The Joyful Noise, "there will be no addi-tions for the choir—just come." Rehearsals will be on Thurs-days from 8:30 to 10 p.m. for performances in May at three area churches.

Quilt workshop slated

Charlotte Reinhardt of Del-mar will conduct a workshop on a quilted "feather heart" design at the Bethlehem Li-brary on Thursday, Feb. 8, at 6:30 p.m. Anyone wishing to participate is asked to call 439-6583 for a list of materials needed. Mrs. Reinhardt, a founder of QUILT (Quilters United in Learning Together) and the newly formed orga-nization QUILTED (evening division), will also show slides of an international conference of quilters she recently attend-ed in st. Paul, Minn.

Lamaze classes starting

Classes in the Lamaze meth-od of prepared childbirth will begin in Albany starting the weeks of Feb. 5 and Feb. 19, and in Voorheesville the week of Feb. 12. Women planning to attend the six-week series of classes should plan to begin them at the end of the seventh month of pregnancy. For in-formation and registration contact Melody Brennan, 439-6353, or Ethel Cooper, 439-4572.

Lottery winners

Two Delmar residents have won major prizes in the New York State Lottery's "I Love New York" instant game. John Van Etten has won \$1,000 in merchandise coupons and Wal-ter Laut \$500.

Business women meet

The monthly meeting of the Bethlehem Business Women's Club will be held on Feb. 7 at the Albany Motor Inn starting with cocktails at 6 p.m. David Smith of Kelly's Jewelers will talk on gemology.

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TV access center opens in Elsmere

Residents of the town of Bethlehem are invited to an open house on Monday, Feb. 5 from 7 to 10 p.m. to inaugurate Bethlehem Video's public access channel 16 and the Bethlehem Access Center at 159 Delaware Ave., Elsmere.

Stephenie Stewart, who has been working in public access television in Schenectady, is Bethlehem Video's access director. An evening of programs will be seen on Channel 16 (Channel C on remote converter selectors) as examples of the types of shows access users may produce, and open house events will be included live between videotapes.

Public access television is known as do-it-yourself TV or community TV. It provides an opportunity for residents to use cable TV to discuss local issues in depth, tape a high school event or have police and fire officials reach into the homes with fire and theft prevention programs.

The Federal Communications Commission requires any cable company with more than 3,500 subscribers to provide a channel for the use of the public free of charge, plus a studio and basic television production equipment. The Elsmere access center is equipped with a color camera and recording equipment, as well as a portable, lightweight video recorder and camera for video-taping events on location.

Workshops to teach interested people how to operate access center equipment will be held on three evenings for a

total of 10 hours of instruction. Participants will be eligible to borrow the portable equipment for live and taped programs. The first workshop, limited to six people, will be held on consecutive Tuesdays, Feb. 12, 20 and 27, from 7:30 to 10 p.m. Any resident of the town over 12 years of age is eligible to attend. Cost is \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for students 18 and under. To reserve a place in a workshop, call 439-8111 or 465-7182.

George Smede, general manager of the local cable franchise, and Boom Boom Brannigan, Albany radio "personality," will share MC duties at the open house.

Landfill pact renewed

The Saratoga-Capital District State Parks and Recreation Commission has renewed its agreement with the New Scotland town board for use of the town landfill on Upper Flat Rock Rd. The commission pays the town \$3,000 a year for the privilege of taking Thacher Park trash to the town dump.

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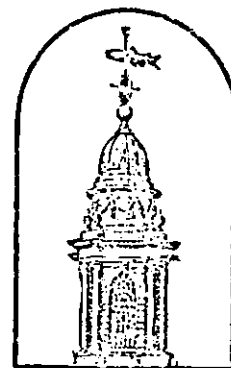
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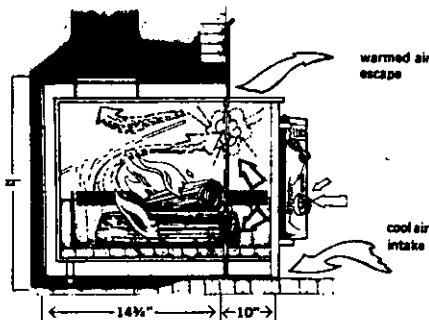
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The concert will be hosted by Christian Music Ministries, Inc. of Feura Bush, and will feature The Joyful Noise, a 50-voice young peoples' touring choir well known in this area, and a number of groups that are outgrowths of that choir. They include Naphtali, a mixed group of 10 singers; King's Kids, a 24-voice school-age choir; Bob and Elaine Jenkins, a Feura Bush husband-and-wife team; Chuck Phillips, a former Feura Bush resident who is a guitarist and vocalist, and Tracey Womer, 7-year-old daughter of Bill and Linda Womer of Feura Bush.

William Womer, a former high school music director, founded the original group in 1971, and now devotes full time to the young performers. His

daughter, Tracey, has sung for more than 150 congregations in the Northeast since she was 3. Elaine Jenkins is the former Elaine Engel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Engel of Selkirk.

Music tickets ready

Tickets for a candlelight and champagne reception featuring music by pianist Findlay Cockrell for the benefit of the Bethlehem Music Assn. went on sale this week at Mullen's Pharmacy and the Paper Mill in Elsmere. The reception will be held from 5:30 to 7 on Feb. 14, Valentine's Day, at the Campus Arts Center, 1069 New Scotland Rd., Albany. Proceeds will be used to enhance the music program in the Bethlehem Central school district.

Tribute to pastor

A resolution praising the service of Rev. Gerard J. Van Heest, pastor of the Delmar Reformed Church for the past 10 years, was adopted unanimously at the January meeting of the Tri-Village Clergy Assn. of Elsmere, Delmar and Slingerlands. Rev. Van Heest has accepted a position as chaplain at Hope College, Michigan.

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Testimony starts in chief's trial

A jury of seven men and five women began hearing testimony this week in the long-delayed perjury trial of Peter Fish, suspended chief of the Bethlehem police department.

Jury selection was completed Monday before Judge Joseph Harris in Albany County Court. Among the early witnesses for the prosecution were Capt. Robert Foster, Inspector Richard LaChappelle, Sgts. LeRoy J. Cooke and John Van Nossdell, Det. Colin Clark and Officer Leonard Ryan of the Bethlehem police, and former town supervisor Bertram E. Kohinke.

Fish is being tried on two counts of perjury in a grand jury indictment that alleges the chief lied under oath by denying that he established a police department policy not to call Bleau's Towing Service in emergencies.

Fish also faces possible trial on two other felony charges, a third perjury count and a charge of criminal possession of stolen property. Also pending is a Bethlehem civil disciplinary proceeding alleging 34 counts of misconduct in office.

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There will be no issue of the Spotlight on Thursday, Feb. 22. Publicity chairmen, advertisers and subscribers are asked to take note of the date, one of the three weeks each year in which our hard-working staff takes a rest. The last issue of February will be published on Feb. 15. The news and advertising copy deadline for the issue is Friday, Feb. 9. The Spotlight office at 414 Kenwood Ave., however, will be open as usual from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekdays.

Faculty wives meet

The Delmar-Slingerlands SUNYA Faculty Wives will have a potluck salad lunch Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 12:30 p.m. at the home of Dodie Seagle, 193 Westchester Dr. South, Delmar. For reservations, call Nancy Scholes, 439-7759, or Mrs. Seagle, 439-7061.

Snowshoe workshop slated

A snowshoe workshop will be held on Saturday, Feb. 3, 1979, at the Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar. An outdoor demonstration will follow, in which all participants will have the chance to try out snowshoes. Sessions will be held at 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Refreshments will be provided. The fee for the workshop is \$2 per adult and \$1 for children under 12. Participants must pre-register by calling the center at 457-6092.

Organist featured

Jean Franks, organist and choir director at the First United Methodist Church, Voorheesville, is one of several active church musicians participating in a concert at the Cathedral of All Saints, Elk and Swan Sts., Albany, on Sunday, Feb. 4, at 3:30 p.m. She will play a Bach prelude and fugue to open the concert, fourth in the Monday Musical Club of Albany's current series.

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The family of Nomikos Koutouzis escaped unharmed when a fire damaged their home at 25 Fairway Ave., Elmsere, Jan. 23. Fire Chief Paul Kleinke said the flames originated in a family room over the garage. Firemen used the 85-foot "apple-picker" to bring the blaze under control in less than 20 minutes.

Delay is granted on public taxes

Albany County has given the town of Bethlehem an additional 26 days to pay a \$42,747 tax bill owed the town of New Scotland.

The extension from the established deadline of Jan. 31 to Feb. 26 also applies to 12 other cities, towns and villages in Albany County and affects several dozen municipal governments, public service agencies and special franchises, including Niagara Mohawk and the New York Telephone Co. These are the taxpayers that are billed directly by the county rather than by the municipality. For instance: with Niagara Mohawk holding more than 70 parcels of land in Bethlehem alone, plus parcels in virtually every town and city in its territory, the county pulls them all together in one tax bill.

This year, says Ron Perrine of the Albany County department of finance, several of the smaller towns were unusually slow getting their tax billing information to the county. Perrine was forced to hold all the billing until the data was complete.

Meanwhile, in Bethlehem town hall, Paul Wagner, superintendent of Bethlehem Water

District No. 1, had one eye on the January calendar (when it wasn't on the water level of the Vly Reservoir in New Salem) and the other on incoming mail, waiting for the county tax bill for the acreage the water district owns for the reservoir in the town of New Scotland. With a 1-percent penalty in effect on unpaid taxes as of Feb. 1, Wagner was concerned about a surcharge of \$427 for late payment.

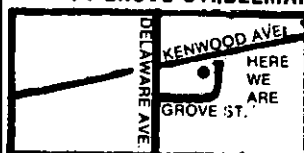
By Friday, five days before the penalty-free deadline, nothing had been heard from the county. A Spotlight call to Perrine, however, brought comforting news to 393 Delaware Ave.: the tax bills were going in the mail that day, Jan. 26, and would be on Wagner's desk Monday. The good news: the county was giving all these addressees a month's extension, until Feb. 26, to come up with the tax money.

In the New Scotland town hall, none of these deadlines bothered Tax Collector Edita Probst. The town gets the money regardless. It pockets the penalties for payments made in February and March, then turns the delinquents over to the county. The county then pays the town in full for what is owed and sets out to collect from the taxpayers in its own way.

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BUSINESS

Delmar printer joins Spotlight

George A. Bloodgood, Jr., whose printing business at his home at 323 Elm Ave., Delmar, has "grown too big for Mary and me," will join the Spotlight production staff next month.

Bloodgood and his wife, the former Mary Winnie, started printing in 1966 as a part-time business at home while George continued in his regular job at the Selkirk railroad yards. The couple, active in a number of local organizations, started with two second-hand mimeograph machines.

As churches and civic organizations began bringing in their work, business grew, and the Bloodgoods added a mailing service. The Bethlehem chamber of commerce was one of their first customers, soon joined by fire departments and others.

In 1969 the mimeographs went out and photo offset printing equipment moved in. Collators, folders, electric stitchers and other equipment followed quickly. By 1973, the Bloodgoods found themselves working in their print shop into the late hours almost every night and weekends, so George quit his job after 37 years with the railroad.

For the past five years printing has been a full-time enterprise for George while Mary spent most of her time in the office. In between, George has

been driving a Bethlehem Central school bus several hours each weekday.

Coming to the Spotlight will enable George to "take care of all my regular customers and get rid of most of the headaches of running my own business." At the Spotlight, he will assist on the offset camera on a part-time basis and work with the Spotlight staff in producing the fire department booklets, organization newsletters, letterheads and dozens of other printing jobs he has handled right along. Meanwhile, Mary plans to get back into part-time nursing.

"We'll still be taking calls at our office," says George, who will be 60 next January. "We are thankful for all our friends and customers, and we hope they'll continue to call on us. Just because the office door may be closing, the door to the house is always open."

Meanwhile they're hoping the new arrangement will enable them to have some time to themselves on weekends and to



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George Bloodgood was born in Albany, came to Delmar when he was 7, and has lived here ever since. Mary was born in Delmar to a family long associated with Bethlehem history. Her grandfather was one of the town's early supervisors. Both George and Mary went through the Bethlehem school system, Mary going on to nursing school at Memorial Hospital and George going to work for the New York Central Railroad.

Both entered the armed forces after Pearl Harbor, Mary serving in the Army Nurse Corps, George with the anti-aircraft Coast Artillery. They were married in 1946, the year after the war ended, and built their house on the Winnie farm, which at that time included the land on which the Bethlehem Town Park has been built.

As the children, Mary Lou, George III and Beth, came along, Mary returned to part-time nursing and George continued with the New York Central and its successors, Penn Central and Conrail. When he resigned after 37 years service, he was chief clerk to the superintendent of the Selkirk yards.

The Bloodgoods are lifelong members of the Delmar Reformed Church. They are active in the Delmar Fire Dept. and Auxiliary and are members of Hudson Mohawk VFA, Hudson Valley VFA, Albany County VFA and the Firemen's Assn. of the State of New York. Mary is serving as chaplain of Albany County VFA. George is Chaplain of the Delmar FD, a director of Hudson Mohawk VFA and editor of several Fire-matic publications.

George is also a notary public, and still gets a laugh when he tells about being awakened one night by a couple who wanted him to marry them. "There are some people," he says with the wide smile that is his trademark, "who believe a notary public can perform marriages and sell hunting and fishing licenses." *Nat Boynton*

BETHELEHEM

Citizens briefed on revaluation

When Bethlehem converts to full value assessment the question most taxpayers will ask is: will my taxes go up or down?

A standing-room-only crowd of over 125 concerned taxpayers wanted to know just that Monday night as a town panel comprised of Gil Houk, town assessor; Sidney Kaplan, chairman of the assessment board of review; Fred Weber, town builder, and Humphrey Tyler of the state board of equalization and assessment tried to eliminate some of the confusion stemming from the complicated move.

The panel agreed that Bethlehem's move to full value assessment, expected in 1980, would equalize the tax burden fairly according to real property value.

Tyler, labeling it "the politics of disappointment," said that of those municipalities in the state which have already converted to full-value assessment, one third of the property taxpayers paid more, one third less and one third the same as before.

"The tax rate goes down," he stressed, "as full assessment goes to 100 percent. Those who have been paying less than their share prior to conversion will pay more after the conversion, and those who were over-assessed previously will pay less."

Tyler stressed that the conversion will not affect the amount of state aid to education. The state board of equalization and assessment, he said, estimates statewide the full value of all municipalities, an "estimate set in granite" from which state aid is based, before the town converts to full value assessment.

Houk estimated it would cost the town, now assessed at a 17.5 percent equalization rate, \$350,000 to convert to full valuation. The town will enlist the help of a computer to determine the reassessment from over 60 bits of data about each property. *Doug Payne*

BC coaches start at grass roots to build winning teams



Suburban Council championship teams of the future in football, basketball, soccer and tennis have their inception with today's sixth and seventh graders. Last week 45 Bethlehem Pop Warner football players ages 9-14 attended a clinic at the Middle School and saw Art Ritchko, BCHS varsity coach, and all-Suburban



lineman Bryan Bourque, left photo, demonstrate interior blocking and other techniques. Above, BC basketball coaches Jim Tedisco, center, John Rathjens, Nelson Harrington and Robert Salamone, explain defense strategies to some of the 70 young athletes enrolled in a 9-week basketball clinic. *R.H. Davis*

WRESTLING

Tourneys to test Eagle grapplers

A mid-season report on Bethlehem Central wrestling finds Coach Rick Poplaski's team with a 5-5 record. Poplaski says of his young team, "their mat presence has improved greatly and they are doing a fine job."

Making up the team are co-captain seniors Mike Drumm (119) and Bryan Bourque (177); four juniors, Dave Ruslander (126), Mark Dean (138), Scott Mueller (155) and Jim Wolf (167); five sophomores, J.B. Rodgers (98), Andy Hickey (105), Jeff Herrmann (112), Steve Essex (132) and Larry Soeller (215), and two freshmen, John Herrmann (91) and Alan Marwill (145).

The team has defeated Mont Pleasant for the first time in BC history, Burnt Hills, which was ranked 8th in Section 2 at the time, Columbia, Colonie and Voorheesville. Bethlehem placed fifth in two recent tournaments. Bourque placed first at both Oxford and Tri-Valley in Camden, Drumm took fourth and third respectively, Dean took a second and fourth, Jeff Herrmann fourth in both and Hickey fourth and third.

Bethlehem will host the 1979

Section 2 finals on Saturday, March 3. In the meantime, the matmen await the Suburban Council tournament at Columbia on Feb. 9-10 and upcoming meets with Shaker, Mohonasen, Albany Academy, Schalmont and Hudson Falls.

Village Volunteers awards

Phyllis Willey, fife section leader, received the Volunteer Award at the first annual recognition dinner of the Village Volunteers Fife and Drum Corps at the Slingerlands Methodist Church. There were 120 corps members on hand.

Other awards presented by MC David Perry were: fife proficiency award, Jean Rankin; drum proficiency award, John Thompson; Marcher of the Year, Holly Veltman; president's service award, June Johnson; color sergeant award, Martha Gohlke; perfect attendance, John Thompson, and honorable mention attendance,

Debbie Blodgett, Jeff Blodgett, Jim Willey, Michelle Denault, Robbie Keeble and Don Veltman. Grateful Appreciation awards went to Carl and Renee Benenati for past service and William and Lois Bub for con-

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BASKETBALL

Blackbirds start 'second season'

For Coach Mike O'Brien and the Voorheesville Central basketball team, it's the start of a whole new season. The Blackbirds slipped back into a triple tie for first place in the Central Hudson Valley League, which means that the three contenders have three games and three weeks to unravel the snarl.

Voorheesville's three-week tenure in the catbird seat came to an end Friday night when Waterford shocked the home team, 55-46. "It wasn't too bad until the fourth quarter," O'Brien said later. "We beat ourselves. We had plenty of opportunities from the field and from the foul line, and we had too many turnovers. Waterford picked that night to play its best game of the year."

The visitors also picked the night that Steve Cheslow, the Capital Newspapers' scholastic sports writer, picked to cover the Voorheesville game. Satur-

day's papers were full of Ron Bova, Waterford's 6-3 scoring star, but in O'Brien's view it was Brad Peat, a stubby guard, who did the most damage. Peat had been averaging around five points a game, but Friday he pumped in 18 points from the outside while the Blackbirds were trying to stop Bova inside.

In the glare of all that publicity, Voorheesville out-rebounded Waterford, 25-23, but shot only 19-for-50 from the field compared to the visitors' 21-for-42. From the charity stripe Voorheesville was only 8-for-18, 46 percent compared to their usual 70-75 percent. They also lost 13 turnovers to eight for the intruders.

The "new" season, starting with Waterford, Maple Hill and Voorheesville knotted at 5-2, favors Waterford, which has all three remaining league games at home, two of them with lower-rung teams. The Blackbirds have the toughest schedule, facing Maple Hill Friday, then Catskill and Cox-sackie, all on the road. "We're going to have to do it the hard way," said O'Brien. "Right now we're trying to rally our spirits and come back."

There was one bright spot in the Rt. 85A picture: the Voorheesville junior varsity. They lost to Waterford, 38-30, in Friday's frontpiece, but it was a creditable showing. At Waterford early in the season they lost by more than 40 points, and looked like they'd never win a game. Now they're 4-9.

"Bob Crandall has turned these kids around," marvelled O'Brien. "They've worked hard and they've come a long way."

Turkey dinner at grange

Bethlehem Grange will serve a home-cooked turkey dinner on Feb. 3, starting at 4:30 p.m. at the grange hall, Rts. 9W and 396, Selkirk. Reservations for the dinner, which is open to the public, are appreciated but not necessary. Call 767-2248 or 767-9165.



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BASKETBALL

R.H. Davis

Eagles now in spoiler role

A cold-shooting night in Burnt Hills extinguished whatever flickering hopes Bethlehem Central had for second place in the Suburban Council basketball race and relegated the Eagles to the role of spoiler from here in.

The Eagles were scheduled to conclude the season's business with Shaker Tuesday in Delmar, leaving only one meaningful game before the Sectionals. That one is a return shot at Niskayuna, which is still in the race. That's a shot BC is aching to take, for the Niskies knocked the Eagles out of last year's title en route to the state Class A championship and beat them by two points in overtime in their first meeting this season.

Apart from Niskayuna, Bethlehem will finish up the schedule with the league's proletariat, starting with Mohonasen at Rotterdam Saturday. The Eagles were 7-4 in the Council going into Tuesday night's encounter with front-running Shaker.

BC was never in it at Burnt Hills Friday as a four-game winning streak went down the drain, 65-55. The Eagles got in foul trouble early, Jim Eckhardt and Mark Lawrence each picking up three personals in the first quarter. As if that weren't bad enough, Bethlehem shot only 7 for 27 in the first half, and couldn't get any closer than nine points in the second half.

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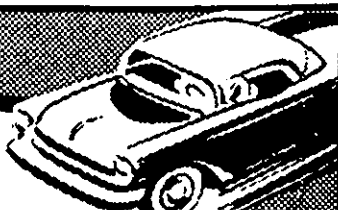
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A year-long investigation by Bethlehem police has resulted in the arrest of an 18-year-old Gunderland youth and 14 juveniles charged with 40 to 50 burglaries in the Schoolhouse Rd. area of North Bethlehem and Gunderland.

Police said the break-ins occurred between the fall of 1977 and the spring of 1978, most of them on side streets off Schoolhouse Rd.

Bethlehem detectives said "a large quantity" of stolen property had been recovered from various homes and from hiding places in wooded locations "in several towns."

Names were withheld by police because of age. The 18-year-old, who was arrested on a 1977 warrant signed by former Bethlehem Justice Donald DeAngelis, was released in custody of his attorney pending a court appearance at a later date.

Books for pre-schoolers

The Bethlehem Library and the town of Bethlehem Welcome Wagon are co-sponsoring a special program for parents of pre-schoolers on Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 7:30 p.m. Children's librarian Micki Nevett will acquaint parents with several famous authors and illustrators of picture books for preschoolers, give helpful hints to parents for selecting books and distribute book lists.

Ski trails ready

Kenneth Lenseth of Delmar and his brother, Arthur, have opened five miles of cross-country skiing trails at their Helderberg Family Campground between Clarksville and East Berne. The trails have an elevation of 1600 feet above sea level and afford a combination of wooded areas and panoramic views. A warming room is available from 9 to 5 on weekends. Reservations are accepted for weekday groups and moonlight skiing. For snow conditions call 439-5119 or 872-2106.

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BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD
OF THE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM
MARION T. CAMP
Town Clerk

Dated: January 24, 1979

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AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE AND ZONING MAP OF THE TOWN OF BETH- LEHEM, ALBANY COUNTY, NEW YORK

Adopted: 1/24/79

Published: 2/1/79

Effective: 2/11/79

At a Regular Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany, New York, held at the Town Hall, 393 Delaware Ave., Delmar, New York on the 24th day of January, 1979.

PRESENT: Mr. Corrigan, Mr. Johnston, Mrs. Bickel, Mr. Geurtze, Mr. Mocker.
ABSENT: None.

The Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York, does hereby amend the Zoning Ordinance and Zoning Map of the Town of Bethlehem, and does hereby enact and ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. The purpose of this amendment to the Zoning Ordinance and Zoning Map is to promote the health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the Town of Bethlehem, in accordance with the recommendation of the Planning Board of the Town of Bethlehem, and has been approved by the Albany County Planning

Board, and the said amendment is in accordance with a comprehensive zoning plan and is designed to encourage the most appropriate use of land in the Town.

SECTION 2. The following described property shall be and hereby is rezoned to Residence "A":

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND more particularly bounded and described as follows:

1. Beginning at a point in the center line of pavement on the New York State highway known as Route US 9W, said point being the intersection of such center line of pavement with the center line of Vroman Kill;

2. thence northerly along the center line of pavement on N.Y.S. Route US 9W, to the point of intersection with the prolongation westerly of a northerly line of lands of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association, said northerly line being the northerly line of the so-called "old section" of Elmwood Cemetery;

3. thence easterly along such prolongation, and along the northerly line of the so-called "old section" of Elmwood Cemetery to the point of intersection with the common division line between lands now or formerly of L. Huested Myers, on the west, and lands now of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association on the east;

4. thence northerly along the common division line between lands now or formerly of L. Huested Myers, on the west, and lands now of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association, on the east, to the northeasterly line of such lands of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association at lands now or formerly of Crocker;

5. thence southeasterly along the northeasterly line of lands now of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association to the point of intersection of such northeasterly line with the center line of a stream which

flows southerly, on the easterly side of N.Y.S. Route US 9W, from Wemple Road to Vroman Kill;

6. thence in a general southerly direction and downstream along the center line of this stream which flows southerly on the easterly side of N.Y.S. Route US 9W, as such stream winds and turns, to the point of confluence with the center line of Vroman Kill;

7. thence in a general westerly direction and upstream along the center line of Vroman Kill, as it winds and turns, to the point of intersection with the center line of pavement on N.Y.S. Route US 9W, said point of intersection being the point and place of beginning.

SECTION 3. The following described property shall be and hereby is rezoned to "CC" Retail Commercial:

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND more particularly bounded and described as follows:

1. Beginning at a point in the westerly boundary line of the lands of the State of New York (right-of-way for N.Y.S. Route US 9W) as such boundary line existed prior to the reconstruction and relocation of N.Y.S. Route US 9W which occurred during the years 1975 and 1976, said beginning point being the point of intersection of such westerly boundary line with the southwesterly property line of lands now or formerly of Trianni located north from the Jericho Road intersection;

2. thence southeasterly along the prolongation (southeasterly) of said Trianni property line to the point of intersection with the center line of pavement on N.Y.S. Route US 9W;

3. thence southerly along the center line of pavement on relocated N.Y.S. Route US 9W to the point of intersection with the center line of pavement on that portion of N.Y.S. Route US 9W which was not relocated as part of the aforesaid reconstruction and relocation;

4. thence westerly, along a line at right angles to the center line of pavement on that portion of N.Y.S. Route US 9W which was not relocated, to the point of intersection of such line with the westerly boundary of line of lands of the State of New York (right-of-way for N.Y.S. Route US 9W) as such boundary line existed prior to the aforementioned reconstruction and relocation of 1975 and 1976;

5. thence in a general northerly direction along the westerly boundary line of lands of the State of New York (right-of-way for N.Y.S. Route US 9W), as such boundary line existed prior to the aforementioned reconstruction and relocation of N.Y.S. Route US 9W which occurred during the years 1975 and 1976, to the point of intersection of such boundary line with the southwesterly property line of lands now or formerly of Trianni located north from Jericho Road intersection, said point of intersection being the point and place of beginning; also

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND more particularly bounded and described as follows:

1. Beginning at a point in the center line of pavement on the New York State highway known as Route US 9W, said point being the point of intersection of said center line of pavement with the prolongation westerly of a northerly line of lands of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association, said northerly line being the so-called "old section" of Elmwood Cemetery;

2. thence northerly along the center line of pavement on N.Y.S. Route US 9W, as it now exists, to the point of intersection with the prolongation northwesterly of the northerly line of lands, now or formerly of L. Huested Myers, located on the east side of N.Y.S. Route US 9W;

3. thence southeasterly along such prolongation and along the northerly line of such lands now or formerly of L. Huested Myers to a northeast corner of such lands at lands now of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association;

4. thence southerly along the common division line between lands now or formerly of L. Huested Myers on the west and lands now of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association on the east to a northerly line of the so-called "old section" of Elmwood Cemetery (lands of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association);

5. thence westerly along the northerly line of the so-called "old section" of Elmwood Cemetery (lands of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association), and along the prolongation westerly of such northerly line to the point of intersection with the center line of pavement on N.Y.S. Route US 9W; said point of intersection being the point and place of beginning; also

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND more particularly bounded and described as follows:

1. Beginning at a point in the center line of pavement on the New York State highway known as Route US 9W; said point being the point of intersection of said center line with the center line of pavement on Wemple Road;

2. thence southeasterly along the center line of pavement on Wemple Road to the point of intersection with a line parallel to and distant seven hundred fifty (750) feet easterly measured at right angles from the center line of pavement on N.Y.S. Route US 9W to the point of intersection with the center line of a stream which flows southerly on the easterly side of N.Y.S. Route US 9W, said point of intersection being located some nine hundred (900) feet southerly measured at right angles from the center line of pavement on Wemple Road;

4. thence in a general southerly direction and downstream along the center line of the stream which flows southerly on the easterly side of N.Y.S. Route US 9W, as such stream winds and turns, to the point of intersection of said center line of stream with the northeasterly property line of lands now of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association (Elmwood Cemetery);

5. thence northwesterly along said northeasterly line of lands of Bethlehem Rural Cemetery Association to a northeast corner of lands, now or formerly of L. Huested Myers, such lands being located on the east side of N.Y.S. Route US 9W as it now exists;

6. thence northwesterly along the northerly line of said lands now or formerly of L. Huested Myers, and along the prolongation northwesterly of such northerly line, to the point of intersection with the center line of pavement on N.Y.S. Route US 9W;

7. thence northerly along the center line of pavement on N.Y.S. Route US 9W to the point of intersection with the center line of pavement on Wemple Road, said point of intersection being the point and place of beginning.

SECTION 4. This amendment to the Zoning Ordinance and Zoning Map shall take effect ten days after publication as required by law.

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning Ordinance and Zoning Map was presented for adoption by Mr. Mocker, was seconded by Mr. Geurtze and was duly adopted by the following vote:

AYE: Mr. Corrigan, Mr. Johnston, Mrs. Bickel, Mr. Geurtze, Mr. Mocker. NO: None. ABSENT: None.

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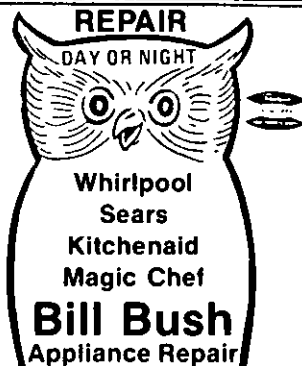
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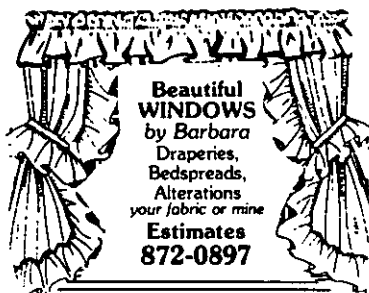
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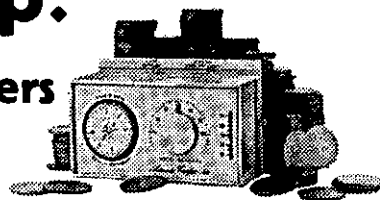
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Vox Pop is open to all readers for letters in good taste on matters of public interest. Letters longer than 300 words are subject to abridgement by the editor, and must be signed. Names will be withheld on request.

Clarifying remarks

Editor, The Spotlight:

I would like to correct the report of my remarks to the League of Women Voters given in your Jan. 25 issue since I hope to be running for office this fall. I stated that many persons feel the answer to many of our problems is regionalism; however, I disagree with that point of view. My approach is to look at the problem and decide at what level of government the problem can best be solved. I then used two examples to illustrate my thinking:

As a member of the Four County Solid Waste Commission I indicated that I felt that problem would eventually have to be solved at a level higher than local government, even higher than county government.

On the other hand, I used our police department as an example of a service I want to keep at the local level. I said that I would object strenuously to losing our local autonomy on that service.

I never suggested that we could solve the problem of

small areas by turning to the state. I did point out that, historically speaking, county government developed as an extension of state government as the state attempted to better serve the people.

I have always been a believer that you try to solve your problems at the lowest level of government possible, that higher levels should step in at the request of the lower level of government but should not usurp the powers of local government.

I trust that Doug Payne will not consider this a criticism of his coverage, but really a clarification of my views. I have read his articles and find he adds depth to the coverage on many issues.

*Edward H. Sargent, Jr.
County Legislator
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Help when needed

Editor, The Spotlight:

I would like to publicly thank and commend Officer Ray Linstruth and the Delmar Ambulance crew, Jim Coughtry, John Smith and Len Tompkins. The service and kindness to my husband, who had a heart attack, and to my family were just great.

Officer Linstruth was on the scene first, and after the others arrived, he offered to call the doctor or make any other necessary calls. He returned to our home the following week to inquire about my husband.

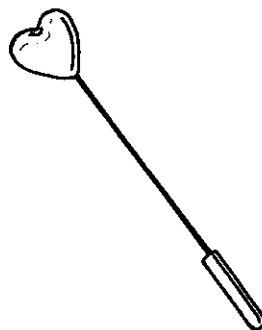
To all, we again thank you for your support.

*Violet Root and family
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Vox Pop has received an interesting letter on the New Scotland water situation signed "Old Resident." The letter cannot be printed unless the writer identifies himself to the editor, who will respect his privacy and withhold his name if he so requests.

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